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Applicant : Thomas G. Feldpausch et al.  
Appln. No. : 09/817,551  
Filing Date : March 26, 2001  
Confirmation No. : 9372  
For : COLLAPSIBLE SHELTER STRUCTURE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are an Amendment under §1.111 in the above-identified application.

Any fee for additional claims has been calculated as shown below:

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	23	Minus	26	= 0	X \$9	\$0.00	x \$ 18	\$
Independent Claims	12	Minus	5	= 7	X \$42	\$294.00	x \$ 84	\$
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$140					\$	x \$280	\$	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$294.00			\$

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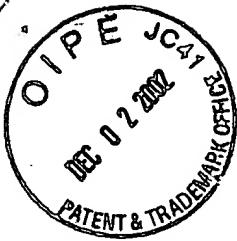
1.  Small entity status of this application 37 CFR §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted or is enclosed.
2.  No additional fee is required.
3.  A check in the amount of \$294 is attached.
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Dear Sirs:

AMENDMENT UNDER §1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace paragraph [0063] on page 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--[0063] Fig. 3 is a copy of Fig. 2, but part of the top frame is added. The rest of the top frame is added in Fig. 4. The top of blind 20 includes two angled cross supports 27 and 28 on each side (Fig. 3). The bottoms of each cross support 27 and 28 on each adjacent side are connected to each other by a resilient tube section 29 (Fig. 5) and the top of each cross support 27 and 28 on the same side is connected by another resilient tube section 29. The tube section 29 connecting the bottoms of cross supports 27 and 28 is attached to a top tube section 25 on the sidewalls by a band or clip 31 (see Figs. 5 and 16). Peak supports 32 extend from tube sections 29. Each peak support 32 includes a bottom end flexibly attached to a center of the top tube section 29 by a clip (e.g. band 31) or screw fastener (or by an bent wire member similar to piece 33), and flexibly attached at a top end with an end piece 33. (Notably, the same end piece 33 can be used on both ends of peak support 32.) The illustrated end piece 33